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Community Cleanup to feature compost workshop

FONTANA – The Fontana Community Cleanup on Saturday, Sept. 22 at the California Speedway will feature a free composting workshop as well as free waste disposal and recycling services.

San Bernardino County Solid Waste Management Division will host the composting workshop from 10 to 11 a.m. in the Impulse Room located in the Opportunity, California FanZone at the Speedway. Participants will learn how to turn grass clippings, leaves and other organic material into nutrient-rich garden mulch.

“By learning to reuse their green waste, residents can make their gardens greener while also helping keep San Bernardino County ‘green’ by diverting organic material away from our landfill,” Board of Supervisors Chairman Paul Biane said.

Free waste disposal and recycling services will be offered from 8 a.m. to noon in the Speedway parking lot. Residents should enter the California Speedway at the Main Gate located at 9300 Cherry Ave

E-Cyclers of Upland will accept used electronic items such as televisions, VCRs, and computer monitors for recycling, and Pacific Recycling of Fontana will collect reusable scrap metal. In addition, Goodwill Southern California will be on hand to collect used items that can be resold in one of the nonprofit group's retail stores.

All tires must be removed from the rims, and tires cannot exceed 11-inches by 25.5-inches. Those who plan to bring 10 or more tires must make arrangements prior to the event by calling (909) 387-0289. Hazardous waste such as paint, solvents, weed killer, etc. will not be accepted. These items can be taken to the Rancho Cucamonga Fire Station on Saturdays between 8 a.m. and noon. The fire station is located at 12158 Baseline.

Contact Supervisor Biane's office at (909) 945-4297 or Code Enforcement at (909) 387-4044 for more information. Please do not contact the Speedway regarding this event.

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